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FIRST LEAD NOTES

MOSCOW, MAY 23 (AP)-THE SOVIET UNION TOLD THE UNITED STATES TODAY THAT ARMING OF NATO COUNTRIES WITH NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND MISSILES "ENTAILED EXTREMELY DANGEROUS CONSEQUENCES FOR PEACE" AND CONFLICTED WITH THE AIMS OF THE GENEVA BIG FOUR CONFERENCE.

THE NEWS AGENCY TASS SAID A SOVIET NOTE ESPECIALLY SINGLED OUT THE ARMING OF WEST GERMANY AND EXPRESSED HOPE THE UNITED STATES WOULD REFRAIN FROM ANY ACTION "THAT MIGHT INCREASE INTERNATIONAL TENSION."

THE NOTE TO THE UNITED STATES WAS ONE OF SEVERAL HANDED TO AMBASSADORS OF NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION POWERS IN MOSCOW. TASS SAID THE NOTE TO THE UNITED STATES WAS DELIVERED TO THE U.S. CHARGE D'AFFAIRES BY VASILY KUZNETSOV. SOVIET DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTER.

TASS SAID IT WAS A REPLY TO A U.S. GOVERNMENT NOTE OF MAY 8.

"THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT HAS RESTATED THAT THE MEASURES CARRIED OUT BY THE UNITED STATES TO SPEED UP THE ARMING OF SOME NATO COUNTRIES, AND IN PARTICULAR THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY, WITH NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND MISSILES ENTAILED EXTREMELY DANGEROUS CONSEQUENCES FOR PEACE AND WERE INCOMPATIBLE WITH THE TASKS BEFORE THE CONFERENCE OF THE FOREIGN MINISTERS AND THE SUMMIT CONFERENCE," TASS SAID.

"THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT EMPHASIZED THAT THE DELIVERY OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND MISSILES TO THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY, WHERE MILITARISM AND THE SPIRIT OF REVENGE WERE BEING ACTIVELY REVIVED, REPRESENTED A THREAT TO THE SECURITY OF THE EUROPEAN NATIONS AND A DIRECT CHALLENGE TO ALL PEACELONG PEOPLES," THE AGENCY SAID.

THE NOTE TO THE UNITED STATES, TASS WENT ON, "POINTED TO THE AGGRESSIVE NATURE OF THE MEASURES CARRIED OUT BY THE UNITED STATES WITH RESPECT TO SOME NATO COUNTRIES, AND IN PARTICULAR TO THE FEDERAL GERMAN REPUBLIC." IT SAID THEY COULD NOT HELP IN IMPROVING THE INTERNATIONAL SITUATION BUT COULD "LEAD TO A SERIOUS AGGRAVATION OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS."

THE NOTE DECLARED THAT ACTIVITIES OF THE UNITED STATES AND ITS ALLIES "ADDED TO THE WAR DANGER."

TASS SAID THE SOVIET MESSAGE EXPRESSED HOPE THAT THE UNITED STATES WOULD "REFRAIN FROM ANY ACTION THAT MIGHT INCREASE INTERNATIONAL TENSIONS."

"THIS WAS ALL THE MORE IMPORTANT AT THIS MOMENT," IT ADDED, "WHEN OUR COUNTRIES HAD GOT DOWN TO NEGOTIATIONS FOR SOLVING THE THORNIEST INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS IN THE INTEREST OF STRENGTHENING PEACE AND SAFEGUARDING SECURITY."

IN A NOTE TO WEST GERMANY, THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT DECLARED THE BONN GOVERNMENT, "BY INVOLVING WESTERN GERMANY IN THE NUCLEAR MISSILE RACE, WAS THROWING DOWN THE GAUNTLET TO ALL PEOPLES ACTING AGAINST THE DANGER OF A NEW WAR," TASS REPORTED.

THE NOTE ASSERTED THAT THE CHIEF RESPONSIBILITY FOR ACTIONS "AIMED AT SPEEDING UP THE ARMING OF WESTERN GERMANY WITH NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND MISSILES, LAY ABOVE ALL WITH THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY.

"THE FACTS SHOW," THE NOTE SAID, "THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY WAS CARRYING THROUGH THE NUCLEAR AND MISSILE REARMAMENT OF WESTERN GERMANY WITH FRANTIC HASTE, DETERMINED NOT ONLY TO WORSEN THE OVER ALL INTERNATIONAL SITUATION IN THIS WAY BUT ALSO TO COMPLICATE THE GENEVA FOREIGN MINISTERS TALKS."

IT SAID THE URGENT INTERNATIONAL ISSUES BEFORE THE FOREIGN MINISTERS ARE THE CONCLUSION OF A PEACE TREATY WITH GERMANY AND THE ENDING OF THE OCCUPATION OF WESTERN BERLIN.

THE NOTE TO WEST GERMANY WAS DELIVERED BY KUZNETSOV TO HANS KROLL. WEST GERMAN AMBASSADOR TO MOSCOW.

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THE RUSSIANS LONG HAVE BEEN CARRYING ON A CAMPAIGN AGAINST NUCLEAR ARMS FOR NATO COUNTRIES.

SOVIET LEADERS HAVE ALSO SHOWN INCREASING CONCERN WITH THE GROWING STRENGTH OF WEST GERMANY.

AS LONG AGO AS JUNE 27, 1957, THE SOVIETS SENT AN OFFICIAL PROTEST NOTE ON THE SUBJECT TO THE BONN GOVERNMENT.

IN A NOTE TO WEST GERMANY LAST MONTH THE RUSSIANS WARNED THE BONN GOVERNMENT THAT ITS POSITION AS A NUCLEAR ARSENAL OF THE WEST IN ANY FUTURE WAR WOULD BE "MILITARILY HOPELESS."

BRITAIN ALSO HAS BEEN THE TARGET OF SOVIET NOTES FOR AGREEING TO ESTABLISH BASES ON ITS SOIL FOR ROCKETS CAPABLE OF CARRYING NUCLEAR WARHEADS. U.S. ATOMIC BOMBERS ARE ALSO BASED IN BRITAIN.

IN MARCH OF THIS YEAR IT BECAME KNOWN THAT ITALY WAS ACCEPTING INTERMEDIATE RANGE BALLISTIC MISSILE BASES AND THIS DREW PROTESTS FROM SEVERAL COMMUNIST COUNTRIES.

AT THE FOREIGN MINISTERS' CONFERENCE IN GENEVA THURSDAY, U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE HERTER WARNED SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI GROMYKO AGAINST MAKING "UNJUSTIFIED ACCUSATIONS" OF NATO AGGRESSIVENESS.

HERTER BROKE INTO DEBATE ON A GERMAN PEACE SETTLEMENT TO DECLARE HE HOPED SOVIET ACCUSATIONS AND INVECTIVE WOULD BE HALTED BECAUSE IT COULD LEAD TO "VERY SERIOUS TENSION IN THE CONFERENCE."

GROMYKO HAD CHARGED SEVERAL TIMES AT THE CONFERENCE THAT NATO IS PREPARING FOR AGGRESSION. HE DIRECTED HIS SHARPEST ATTACKS AGAINST WEST GERMANY, SAYING THAT WEST GERMAN REARMAMENT IS MOTIVATED BY DESIRES FOR REVENGE.

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NIGHT LEAD BIG FOUR
BY ARTHUR GAVSHON

GENEVA, MAY 23 (AP)-THE BIG FOUR TONIGHT WERE REPORTED VIRTUALLY AGREED ON BEGINNING A PHASE OF HARD, SECRET BARGAINING TO CLEAR THE WAY FOR AN EAST-WEST SUMMIT CONFERENCE.

SOME SORT OF STANDSTILL ARRANGEMENT BETWEEN RUSSIA AND THE WEST FOR DISPUTED BERLIN APPEARED TO BE THE MINIMUM PRICE AMERICAN, BRITISH AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTERS WILL DEMAND FOR AGREEING TO SET UP THE TOPLEVEL PARLEY PROPOSED FOR THIS SUMMER.

INTENSIVE BEHIND SCENES ACTIVITY IN THE PAST FEW DAYS, ACCORDING TO SENIOR WESTERN DIPLOMATS HERE, SUGGESTED THESE FURTHER DEVELOPMENTS MAY BE NEAR:

1. THE STATESMEN PROBABLY WILL LEAVE THEIR PALACE OF NATIONS CONFERENCE TABLE FOR A SERIES OF INFORMAL TALKS ON THE GRAVE ISSUES THAT DIVIDE THEM.

2. IN THESE EXCHANGES THE WESTERN POWERS INTEND CALLING ON SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER ANDREI A. GROMYKO TO CLARIFY HIS IDEAS ABOUT THE SORT OF TEMPORARY SOLUTION HE FORESEES FOR BERLIN PENDING AN EAST-WEST AGREEMENT TO REUNITE ALL GERMANY.

3. AT SOME POINT IN THE COMING WEEK OR TWO THE WESTERN MINISTERS, FOR THEIR PART, ARE LIKELY TO SUBMIT A COUNTER-PROPOSITION OF THEIR OWN FOR A STOPGAP BERLIN ARRANGEMENT.

4. GROMYKO ALSO WILL BE ASKED TO SPELL OUT THE ELEMENTS WHICH HE HAS TERMED "CONSTRUCTIVE" AND "NEGOTIABLE" IN THE WEST'S PACKAGE OF PROPOSALS ON BERLIN, ALL-GERMANY AND A EUROPEAN SECURITY SYSTEM.

5. AN ITEMIZED LIST OF NEGOTIABLE ISSUES, AGREED BY EAST AND WEST, THEN COULD FORM THE BASIS FOR A SEPARATE AND CAREFUL NEW STUDY TO NARROW DIFFERENCES IN PREPARATION FOR THE SUMMIT.

6. GROMYKO FOR HIS PART IS EXPECTED TO CALL OPENLY FOR TRANSFERRING TO THE SUMMIT WORK-PROGRAM CURRENT AMERICAN-BRITISH-RUSSIAN NEGOTIATIONS FOR A PACT TO END NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTING.

IT SEEMED OBVIOUS THE FORTNIGHT-OLD FOREIGN MINISTERS' CONFERENCE HERE IS AT ITS TURNING-POINT.

RUSSIA AND THE WEST HAVE BOTH DEFINED THEIR POSITIONS TWICE ON THE BASIC PROBLEMS OF EUROPE. NEITHER SIDE HAS MOVED VISIBLY FROM ITS STARTING POSITION.

EACH INFORMALLY HAS SIGNIFIED READINESS FOR A SERIES OF CONFIDENTIAL EXCHANGES--OVER LUNCH AND DINNER TABLES, IN CLOSE UNCROWDED HUDDLES, FRANKLY ON A MAN-TO-MAN BASIS. THIS WOULD ENABLE THEM TO AVOID SUCCUMBING TO THE TEMPTATION OF PUBLIC POSTURING.

THE SOVIET UNION, IN A NOTE DELIVERED TODAY TO THE U.S. CHARGE D' AFFAIRES IN MOSCOW, SAID THE SUPPLYING OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS AND MISSILES TO NATO COUNTRIES "ENTAILED EXTREMELY DANGEROUS CONSEQUENCES FOR PEACE" AND CONFLICTED WITH THE AIMS OF THE GENEVA CONFERENCE.

IT MADE SPECIAL MENTION OF SUCH ARMS FOR WEST GERMANY AND EXPRESSED HOPE THE UNITED STATES WOULD REFRAIN FROM ANY ACTION "THAT MIGHT INCREASE INTERNATIONAL TENSION."

THE NOTE ADDED THIS WAS PARTICULARLY IMPORTANT WHILE DIFFICULT PROBLEMS ARE BEING NEGOTIATED AT GENEVA. A SIMILAR NOTE WAS SENT TO WEST GERMANY.

THE BRITISH DELEGATION HAS SPREAD WORD THAT AMERICAN SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER MAY ACT MONDAY TO OBTAIN SUSPENSION--OR A SERIES OF SUSPENSIONS--OF FORMAL CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS.

HERTER IS DUE TO PRESIDE AT MONDAY'S SESSION. HE WAS BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY SELWYN LLOYD'S LUNCHEON GUEST YESTERDAY. THE BRITON HAS LONG WANTED TO GIVE SECRET DIPLOMACY A FULL TRIAL HERE. BUT HE HAS BEEN UNWILLING TO TAKE THE LEAD. ALREADY HE IS UNDER SOME SUSPICION BY HIS FRENCH AND WEST GERMAN COLLEAGUES FOR HAVING HAD A DOZEN OR SO PRIVATE CHATS WITH GROMYKO, SOME ANNOUNCED, SOME UNANNOUNCED.

BUT AMERICAN DELEGATION SOURCES TODAY REPORTED HERTER HAS NO INTENTION OF ACTING ALONE. ANY MOVE CLEARLY WOULD HAVE TO BE AGREED UPON BY ALL THE WESTERN MINISTERS, INCLUDING MAURICE COUVE DE MURVILLE OF FRANCE AND HEINRICH VON BRENTANO OF WEST GERMANY.

MEANWHILE, A CRISS-CROSSING PATTERN OF INFORMAL ASSEMBLAGES OF THE BIG FOUR AS A GROUP, AND OF GROMYKO AND INDIVIDUAL WESTERN MINISTERS, HAS BEGUN TO UNFOLD FOR THE COMING WEEK.

GROMYKO FIRST, THEN COUVE DE MURVILLE, WILL PLAY MEALTIME HOST FOR THEIR COLLEAGUES. THE FRENCHMAN MEETS THE RUSSIAN IN ADVANCE OF MONDAY'S SESSION. LLOYD WILL CALL ON GROMYKO LATER IN THE WEEK.

IF THE EXAMPLE OF HERTER'S DINNER PARTY LAST THURSDAY IS FOLLOWED, THE STATESMEN WILL CONVERSE IN ENGLISH WITH ONLY THE MOST SENIOR ADVISERS AT HAND. EAST AND WEST GERMAN DELEGATES WILL NOT ATTEND. PUBLIC RELATIONS MEN WILL BE KEPT OUT.

PLAIN, SOMETIMES UNDIPLOMATIC, SPEAKING CLEARLY WILL BE THE ORDER OF THE DAY.

THE WESTERN MINISTERS INTEND TO MAKE ONE THING PLAIN TO GROMYKO WHEN THE TWO SIDES GET TO GRIPS:

ANY STEP BY RUSSIA TO FIRE THE PISTOL OF BERLIN AT WESTERN HEADS--IN THE FORM OF SOME SORT OF DRASTIC ONE-SIDED ACTION--WILL SPELL THE END TO ANY SUMMIT PARLEY.

LLOYD, HOWEVER, IS ONE WESTERN STATESMAN WHO EXPECTS NO SUCH ACTION BY MOSCOW. HE HAS TOLD CONFIDANTS GROMYKO'S MANNER INSIDE AND OUTSIDE THE CONFERENCE ROOM HAS NEVER IN HIS DIPLOMATIC EXPERIENCE BEEN MORE CONCILIATORY AND AMIABLE, BY RUSSIAN STANDARDS.

THE BRITON ALSO HAS CONFIDED AFTER A DOZEN CHATS WITH GROMYKO THAT HE DOES NOT BELIEVE THE PARTICIPATION OF POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA IS GOING TO BE PRESSED TOO HARD.

LLOYD HAS TRIED TO GET GROMYKO TO SAY JUST WHAT HE WOULD SETTLE FOR IN THE WAY OF A STOPGAP ARRANGEMENT BETWEEN EAST AND WEST ON BERLIN BUT HE HAS GOT NOWHERE. THIS HAS LED THE BRITISH TO BELIEVE THE WESTERN POWERS THEMSELVES WILL HAVE TO COME FORWARD WITH A SUGGESTION THAT A SEPARATE DEAL ON BERLIN MUST BE NEGOTIATED--ONE THAT INSURES THE RIGHTS OF THE WESTERN GARRISONS TO STAY ON THERE. IN RETURN THE WEST MAY WELL HAVE TO AGREE ON SOME PLEDGE OR OTHER AGAINST THE USE OF WEST BERLIN AS CENTER OF SUBVERSION OR ESPIONAGE.

THERE WAS ONE SMALL SURPRISE DURING THE DAY. BRENTANO, JUST BEFORE HE DEPARTED FOR BONN TO REPORT TO CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER, RECEIVED A CALL FROM GROMYKO AND THE TWO TALKED EARNESTLY FOR ABOUT 90 MINUTES ON GERMAN QUESTIONS.

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BIG FOUR INTERPRETIVE

BY ARTHUR GAVSHON

GENEVA, MAY 23 (AP)-BRITAIN HAS MADE A NEW BEHIND-THE-SCENES PITCH TO GIVE SECRET DIPLOMACY A FULL TRIAL AT THE BIG FOUR CONFERENCE, WESTERN OFFICIALS REPORTED TODAY.

FOREIGN SECRETARY SELWYN LLOYD MADE THE MOVE SHORTLY BEFORE HIS WEEKEND RETURN TO LONDON BY URGING U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER TO TAKE THE LEAD.

AT A LUNCHEON YESTERDAY LLOYD SUGGESTED HERTER PROPOSE THE FOREIGN MINISTERS SWITCH FROM OPEN TO RESTRICTED SESSIONS DAILY INSIDE AND OUTSIDE THEIR PALACE OF NATIONS CONFERENCE ROOM.

HERTER'S REACTION HAS NOT BEEN DISCLOSED. THE BRITISH REQUEST PRESUMABLY IS UNDER CLOSE AMERICAN STUDY BOTH IN GENEVA AND WASHINGTON.

LLOYD WILL BE CONFERRING THIS WEEKEND IN LONDON WITH TOP FOREIGN OFFICE ADVISERS AND BY TELEPHONE WITH PRIME MINISTER MACMILLAN WHO IS IN SCOTLAND.

INFORMANTS SAID THE BRITISH FELL THE BIG FOUR MINISTERS FACE THREE MAIN PROBLEMS AND THIS IS HOW THEY VIEW THE SITUATION:

1. HOW TO GET THE BIG FOUR TALKS FORMALLY INTO RESTRICTED SESSION TO END PROPAGANDA DEBATES?

LLOYD FEELS THAT HE CANNOT OR SHOULD NOT TAKE THE INITIATIVE BECAUSE OF FRENCH AND WEST GERMAN DISCONTENT WITH THE BRITISH ROLE. THE FRENCH AND WEST GERMANS ARGUE THAT IT IS UP TO THE RUSSIANS TO ACT FIRST BECAUSE THEY STARTED THE TROUBLE. THE AMERICANS, IN THE MIDDLE, HAVE FEARED A WESTERN INITIATIVE MIGHT BE INTERPRETED BY THE RUSSIANS AS READINESS TO MAKE A CONCESSION. LLOYD HAS ASKED HERTER TO RECONSIDER THIS VIEW.

2. WHAT IS THE PRICE RUSSIA WOULD BE WILLING TO PAY TO BRING THE UNITED STATES TO AN EAST-WEST SUMMIT CONFERENCE?

SOVIET FORIEGN MINISTER ANDREI GROMYKO, IN THE BRITISH VIEW, IS TRYING TO CONCEAL THIS PRICE.

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THE BRITISH THINK GROMYKO'S AIM IS TO BRING THE EAST-WEST TALKS ON ENDING NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS UNDER THE SAME ROOF AS THE MAIN

CONFERENCE ON BERLIN AND GERMANY. IF THE WEST WERE TO AGREE, THEN THE SOVIETS MIGHT MAKE IT EASIER--THROUGH CONCESSIONS ON OTHER POINTS--TO SET UP TOP LEVEL TALKS.

3. WHAT IS THE UNITED STATES' MINIMUM PRICE FOR GOING ALONG TO THE SUMMIT?

THE BRITISH THINK HERTER WANTS AN ITEMIZED STATEMENT OF WHAT THE RUSSIANS CONSIDER TO BE THE MAIN DIFFERENCE BETWEEN EAST AND WEST. SUCH DDOATEMENT THEN COULD BE REPRESENTED AS "THE WORK OF THE CONFERENCE" BECAUSE IT WOULD ENABLE THE WEST TO DEDUCE THE ISSUES WHICH ARE NEGOTIABLE.

ONE FLAW IN THE BRITISH ASSESSMENT SEEMS SELF-EVIDENT:

PRESIDENT EISENHOWER HAS MADE PLAIN THAT HE WOULD NOT MEET SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV WHILE THE PISTOL OF BERLIN IS HELD AT THE WEST'S HEAD. THE FRENCH AND WEST GERMANS SUPPORT THIS STAND.

THE SOVIET UNION WOULD, AT LEAST, HAVE TO UNLAOD THAT PISTOL IN ORDER TO INSURE THE SUMMIT. THAT ANYWAY SEEMS TO BE THE THINKING OF BRITAIN'S ALLIES. AND HERTER MAY ALREADY HAVE TOLD LLOYD SO.

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HERTER APPRAISAL

(EDITOR'S NOTE: THE NEW U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE, CHRISTIAN A. HERTER, HAS NOW BEEN AT THE INTERNATIONAL NEGOTIATING TABLE IN GENEVA FOR TWO WEEKS IN HIS FIRST MAJOR TASK. IN THE FOLLOWING DISPATCH, JOHN M. HIGHTOWER, ASSOCIATED PRESS DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT FROM WASHINGTON, GIVES AN APPRAISAL OF THE MAN AND THE JOB HE HAS DONE.)

BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

GENEVA, MAY 25 (AP)-GENTLE, FRIENDLY CHRISTIAN A. HERTER GAVE THE ANSWER HERE THIS WEEK TO ONE OF THE BIG QUESTIONS ABOUT HIS ABILITY AS SECRETARY OF STATE. HE CAN GET TOUGH WITH THE SOVIETS.

BUT HERTER STILL HAS TO PROVE WHETHER HE CAN, WHEN NECESSARY, GET TOUGH WITH HIS ALLIEES. FOR CLEARLY THE NEW SECRETARY DOES NOT LIKE TO FIGHT WITH HIS FRIENDS.

IN THE HARSH REALITIES OF COALITION DIPLOMACY THIS SEEMS TO BE ONE OF THE BIG WEAKNESSES IN THE WESTERN CAMP AT GENEVA RIGHT NOW. PERIODICALLY SOMEONE HAS TO ASSERT STRONG LEADERSHIP TO OVERCOME WESTERN DIFFERENCES, AND THE ONLY MAN WHOLLY QUALIFIED BY NATIONAL POWER AND PRESTIGE TO DO THE JOB IS THE U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE.

ANOTHER QUESTION STILL TO BE ANSWERED ABOUT HERTER IS WHETHER HE CAN SWING QUICKLY AND ACCURATELY ENOUGH WHEN SOVIET UNION'S ANDREI GROMYKO THROWS HIM A FAST CURVE, WHICH HE DID A FEW DAYS AGO.

IN DIPLOMACY'S BIG LEAGUE A FOREIGN MINISTER, EVEN A NEW MAN, GETS VERY FEW SECOND CHANCES. HE SCORES NOTHING BY THINKING OF THE RIGHT WORD AFTER THE RIGHT TIME TO SAY IT HAS PASSED.

CHRISTIAN ARCHIBALD HERTER, STILL ADDRESSED BY OLD FRIENDS AS "GOVERNOR" FROM HIS YEARS IN THE MASSACHUSETTS STATE HOUSE, HAS BEEN DIRECTOR OF U.S. FOREIGN POLICY FOR JUST ONE MONTH. IT HAS BEEN A MONTH THAT WOULD HAVE TAXED THE INGENUITY AND ENDURANCE OF HIS RENOWNED PREDECESSOR, JOHN FOSTER DULLES, IN THE YEARS BEFORE DULLES WAS STRICKEN WITH CANCER.

HERTER, 64, HAD SCARCELY TAKEN DOWN THE SHINGLE PROCLAIMING HIM TO BE "UNDERSECRETARY OF STATE" AND NAILED UP THE NEW SIGN "SECRETARY OF STATE" WHEN HE HAD TO CATCH A PLANE FOR PARIS AND CONFERENCES WITH BRITISH, FRENCH AND WEST GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTERS, MAPPING PLANS FOR THE GENEVA CONFERENCE.

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HE HAD A WEEK AT HOME AND WAS OFF AGAIN FOR GENEVA AND A FINAL CHECK UP ON STRATEGY BEFORE THE WEST OPENED FORMAL DISCUSSIONS WITH GROMYKO MAY 11. THEN, ALONGSIDE SELWYN LLOYD OF BRITAIN AND MAURICE COUVE DE MURVILLE OF FRANCE, HERTER BEGAN TO LEARN, THE HARD WAY, WHAT HE WAS UP AGAINST.

HE WAS IN FOR SOME SURPRISES. FIRST GROMYKO, WHO STUDIED TACTICS UNDER WILY OLD V.M. MOLOTOV, MADE A MAJOR ISSUE OF HAVING THE CONFERENCE MEET AT A ROUND TABLE. THEN HE QUICKLY ADVANCED ANOTHER: EAST GERMANY MUST BE GIVEN FULL MEMBERSHIP, NOT ADVISORY STATUS. A FEW DAYS LATER HE OPENED A CAMPAIGN TO EXPAND COMMUNIST PARTICIPATION FURTHER BY ADDING POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

THESE PROPOSALS HAD BEEN MORE OR LESS FORESEEN. BUT GOMYKO USED THEM TO DOMINATE THE OPENING DAYS OF THE MEETING, DURING WHICH THE WEST MADE NOT ONE ORIGINAL MOVE OF ITS OWN. GROMYKO WON HIS ROUND TABLE BUT LOST FULL MEMBERSHIP FOR EAST GERMANY AND FOR POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA. HE DID GET A VOICE FOR THE GERMANS IN CONFERENCE SESSIONS, A PARTIAL SUCCESS WHICH HE HAS TRIED TO BUILD INTO A MAJOR VICTORY EVER SINCE.

IT WAS GROMYKO'S CAMPAIGN FOR WESTERN RECOGNITION OF COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY, IN FACT, THAT FIRST SPURRED HERTER TO LASH OUT. IN A MEETING AT THE PALACE OF NATIONS DURING THE FIRST WEEK OF THE CONFERENCE HERTER LOOKED GROMYKO IN THE EYE AND TOLD HIM IN STRAIGHT SIMPLE LANGUAGE THAT GROMYKO WAS TRYING TO DELUDE PEOPLE WHEN HE SAID THE GERMAN RED REGIME WAS WINNING WESTERN ACCEPTANCE HERE.

GROMYKO'S DRIVE ON RED GERMANY'S BEHALF PRODUCED AN ACTION A WEEK AGO WHICH OBVIOUSLY IRRITATED HERTER. THE U.S. SECRETARY CONSIDERED HE HAD AN ARRANGEMENT WITH GROMYKO, THE DAY'S CHAIRMAN, TO SPEAK FIRST. INSTEAD, GROMYKO CALLED ON RED GERMANY'S LOTHAR BOLZ. HERTER WAS CAUGHT OFF GUARD. HE MADE NO PROTEST AT THAT TIME, BUT HE AND HIS ADVISERS AGREED GROMYKO MUST NOT BE PERMITTED TO GET BY WITH ANY MORE FAST ONES LIKE THAT.

HERETER FOUND OCCASION TO TELL OFF GROMYKO THREE DAYS LATER. THE SOVIET MINISTER MADE A LONG SPEECH IN WHICH HE ACCUSED NATO OF PLANNING AGGRESSIVE WAR.

HERTER, CHARACTERISTICALLY ADDRESSING HIMSELF DIRECTLY TO GROMYKO BY NAME, REBUKED THE SOVIET MINISTER AND TOLD HIM THERE SHOULD BE NO MORE SUCH SPEECHMAKING. HE DECLARED GROMYKO WOULD POISON THE RATHER FRIENDLY NOTE ON WHICH THE CONFERENCE HAS BEEN CONDUCTED TO DATE.

HERTER'S FRIENDS AND ALLIES RECEIVED WORD OF THESE ACTIONS OF HIS WITH CONSIDERABLE QUIET ENTHUSIASM. NONE HAD QUESTIONED HIS GENERAL PERSONAL AND POLITICAL QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE JOB HE TOOK OVER FROM DULLES. BUT ALL HAVE HAD RESERVATIONS ABOUT HIS ABILITY TO DEAL WITH GROMYKO AND OTHER SOVIET EXPERTS IN THE TRICKY ARTS OF INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS. TOUGHNESS, SPEED OF RACTION, IMAGINATION ARE ALL REQUIRED, AND HERTER'S FRIENDS FEEL HE IS CATCHING ON FAST.

ONE GERMAN DIPLOMAT SAID HERTER NATURALLY LACKED THE CONFERENCE EXPERIENCE OF DULLES "BUT HE IS CATCHING UP RAPIDALY." A BRITISH INFORMANT GAVE HERTER CREDIT FOR HELPING TO CREATE A BETTER ATMOSPHERE HERE THAN IN ANY CONFERENCE HE HAD EVER KNOWN. HE PRAISED THE GENTLE AMERICAN FOR NOT POUNDING THE TABLE AND SHOUTING IN ORDER TO SHOW TOUGHNESS. FRENCH DELEGATION MEMBERS ALSO HAVE SPOKEN WARMLY OF HERTER'S RESPONSE TO HIS DIFFICULT TASK.

WHAT WESTERN DIPLOMATS AND DELEGATION LEADERS ARE RELUCTANT TO TALK ABOUT IS THE PRESENT LACK OF STRONG WESTERN LEADERSHIP HERE. DULLES HAD SUPPLIED THIS FOR THE PAST SIX YEARS.

KNOCKING HEADS TOGETHER, PRESSING GOVERNMENTS TO COMPROMISE REAL

NATIONAL DIFFERENCES, CAN BE VERY UNPLEASANT AND STRENUOUS BUSINESS. DULLES ENJOYED THOSE ASPECTS OF DIPLOMACY AS HE ENJOYED ALL THE REST. HERTER EVIDENTLY RELISHES HIS JOB BUT HIS MAIN CAREER HAS BEEN THAT OF POLITICIAN RATHER THAN LAWYER AND DIPLOMAT AND HIS ENTHUSIASM AND DRIVE FOR THE WORK ARE NOT AS GREAT AS THOSE OF HIS PREDECESSOR.

HERTER CARRIES WITH HIM ONE KEY PIECE OF ADVISE FROM DULLES ON NEGOTIATING WITH THE RUSSIANS. "OUTWAIT THEM."

HERTER IS FOLLOWING THAT BASIC STRATEGY AT GENEVA--NEVER LETTING THE PRESSURE OF TIME FORCE CONCESSIONS. HEEL-DRAGGING IS A TIME-HONORED TECHNIQUE IN DIPLOMACY--AS DULLES WELL KNEW AND HERTER IS FINDING OUT.

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LONDON, MAY 23 (AP)-MOSCOW RADIO TODAY ACCUSED SECRETARY OF STATE CHRISTIAN A. HERTER AND FRENCH FOREIGN MINISTER MAURICE COUVE DE MURVILLE OF SKIRTING THE SOVIET "WISH" FOR DISCUSSING A GERMAN PEACE TREATY AT THE GENEVA BIG FOUR TALKS.

THE BROADCAST MADE NO MENTION OF BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY SELWYN LLOYD.

MOSCOW SAID SPEECHES BY HERTER AND COUVE DE MURVILLE AT YESTERDAY'S SESSION HARDLY MATCHED EXPRESSED INTENTIONS OF SEEKING CONTACT WITH THE SOVIETS.

"THEY ONCE MORE DWELT ON EUROPEAN SECURITY, BERLIN, ANYTHING YOU PLEASE, BUT NOT ON THE MAIN THING THE CONFERENCE WAS CALLED FOR," THE BROADCAST SAID.

MOSCOW SAID THE FIRST WEEK OF TALKS WERE "LIKE A DIALOGUE OF THE DEAF" BUT THE SECOND WEEK "PRODUCED DECLARATIONS OF A DESIRE TO SEEK WAYS OF BRINGING THE POSITIONS (BETWEEN THE EAST AND WEST) CLOSER."

MOSCOW'S TWO LEADING NEWSPAPERS, PRAVDA AND IZVESTIA, REPORTED ONLY SLOW HEADWAY AND BLAMED THE WEST FOR THE LACK OF SPEED.

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WITH GENEVA

BERLIN, MAY 23 (AP)-EAST GERMAN NEWSPAPER CHARGED TODAY THAT WEST GERMANY IS SPYING ON BRITISH DIPLOMATS IN GENEVA WHO DISAGREE WITH THE POLICIES OF WEST GERMAN CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER.

THE ALLEGATION WAS BY THE OFFICIAL EAST GERMAN YOUTH NEWSPAPER, JUNGE WELT, IN A GENEVA DISPATCH. IT SAID THE WEST GERMANS HOPE THEIR TACTICS WILL CAUSE THE GENEVA FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE TO BREAK UP IN FAILURE.

"IN ITS UNASHAMED EFFORTS TO BREAK UP THE CONFERENCE," THE PAPER SAID, "BONN ISN'T EVEN SHOWING ANY CONSIDERATION FOR ITS ENGLISH 'ALLY.' AS SOON AS A BRITISH DIPLOMAT MAKES ANY STATEMENT DIRECTED AGAINST BONN, A SPY FROM THE SECRET SERVICE IS PUT ON HIS HEELS."

JUNGE WELT ALSO CHARGED THE WEST GERMANS ARE INSPIRING A WHISPERING CAMPAIGN IN GENEVA AGAINST THE BRITISH. THE CAMPAIGN, THE PAPER SAID, PORTRAYS THE BRITISH AS BEING FLEXIBLE IN THEIR ATTITUDE TOWARD THE SOVIET UNION.

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BERLIN, MAY 23 (AP)-ERICH OLLENHAUER, CHAIRMAN OF WEST GERMANY'S OPPOSITION SOCIAL DEMOCRATS AND AN ADVOCATE OF A MORE FLEXIBLE LINE ON REUNITING GERMANY, TODAY WARNED AGAINST ANY BIG FOUR SOLUTION THAT WOULD ENDANGER WEST BERLIN.

HE TOLD WEST BERLIN SOCIALISTS THE FOREIGN MINISTERS MEETING AT GENEVA MUST AVOID ANY SOLUTION THAT WOULD TURN THE CITY INTO A "THIRD GERMAN STATE." BERLIN MUST ONCE AGAIN BECOME THE CAPITAL OF A REUNITED GERMANY, OLLENHAUER SAID.

MAYOR WILLY BRANDT OF WEST BERLIN TOLD THE SOCIALIST MEETING HE WOULD OPPOSE ANY GENEVA DECISIONS THAT WOULD ROB WEST BERLINERS OF THEIR HUMAN RIGHTS.

HE SAID THAT UNTIL GERMANY IS UNIFIED, WEST BERLIN MUST REMAIN ATTACHED TO

EGAL AND ECONOMIC SYSTEM OF WEST GERMANY.

THE FREE DEMOCRATS, WEST GERMANY'S SECOND LARGEST OPPOSITION PARTY, WOULD UP A THREE-DAY ANNUAL.

CONGRESS HERE BY URGING THE FOREIGN MINISTERS TO:

1. PROMISE NOT TO USE FORCE IN SETTLING ANY GERMAN PROBLEM.

2. ESTABLISH A STANDING CONFERENCE OF DEPUTY FOREIGN MINISTERS TO TRY TO SOLVING THE GERMANY PROBLEM.

3. CREATE AN EAST-WEST GERMANY COMMISSION THAT WOULD TAKE STEPS TO UNIFY GERMANY.

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MOVIE

BY EDDY GILMORE

GENEVA, MAY 23 (AP)-WEST AND EAST LAUGHED TODAY AT A NEW MOVIE THAT POKES FUN AT MOST OF THE BIG AND SOME OF THE LITTLE NATIONS OF THE WORLD. IT ALSO RIDICULES DIPLOMATS.

ENTITLED "THE MOUSE THAT ROARED," IT WAS SHOWN FOR THE FIRST TIME ANYWHERE TO A SPECIALLY INVITED AUDIENCE.

IN THE AUDIENCE WERE MEMBERS OF THE AMERICAN, SOVIET, BRITISH, FRENCH AND EAST AND WEST GERMAN DELEGATIONS TO THE FOREIGN MINISTERS CONFERENCE. CORRESPONDENTS COVERING THE CONFERENCE ALSO WERE PRESENT.

THE MOVIE IS BASED ON THE IDEA THAT IF YOU'RE A BANKRUPT FOREIGN COUNTRY THE BEST WAY TO SAVE YOURSELF IS TO LOSE A WAR TO THE UNITED STATES.

"THE AMERICANS," SAID ACTOR PETER SELLERS, AS THE PRIME MINISTER OF THE MYTHICAL GRAND DUCHY OF FENWICK, "ALWAYS RUSH TO THE AID OF THE PEOPLE THEY DEFEAT.

"THEY POUR MONEY INTO THE COUNTY OF THEIR FORMER ENEMIES AND DO ANYTHING TO SAVE THE PEOPLE THEY'VE BEATEN."

ACTING ON THIS THEORY, THE GRAND DUCHY INVADES NEW YORK DURING AN AIR RAID ALERT AND ACCIDENTALLY CAPTURES AN AMERICAN PROFESSOR WHO HAS DEVELOPED THE SUPER BOMB--THE Q-BOMB.

BUT WHEN THE AMERICANS LEARN THAT THEIR Q-BOMB IS IN THE HAND OF THE 20-MAN ARMY OF THE GRAND DUCHY, THE UNITED STATES SURRENDERS.

NOW THE GRAND DUCHY IS IN REAL TROUBLE.

EVERYBODY BECOMES A BRIEND.

"OF COURSE," SAYS A MESSAGE FROM MOSCOW, "WE INVENTED THE Q-BOMB 20 YEARS AGO, BUT THE WORKING PEOPLE OF THIS DEMOCRACY ARE GREATLY INTERESTED IN SEEING THAT YOUR Q-BOMB DOES NOT FALL INTO THE HANDS OF THE CAPITALIST WAR-MONGERING HYENAS."

THE BRITISH PRIME MINISTER CLAIMS THE GRAND DUCHY IS "CLOSELY AND VITALLY LINKED WITH BRITAIN--ALMOST AS A MEMBER OF THE COMMONWEALTH."

A MESSAGE FROM NEW YORK SAYS:

"THE NEW YORK YANKEES TODAY DEFEATED THE MILWAUKEE BRAVES 3 TO 2 IN THE THIRD GAME OF THE WORLD SERIES."

IN ADDITION TO BRITISH ACTOR SELLERS--WHO PLAYS THREE PARTS IN THE PICTURE--THE CAST ALSO INCLUDES JEAN SEBERG.

UNQUESTIONABLY, IT IS ONE OF THE FUNNIEST SATIRES EVER TURNED OUT IN A JOINT AMERICAN-BRITISH EFFORT. PRODUCED IN ENGLAND BY CARL FOREMAN AND COLUMBIA PICTURES, IT IS BASED ON A MAGAZINE (SATURDAY EVENING POST) SERIAL BY LEONARD WIBBERLEY ENTITLED "THE DAY NEW YORK WAS INVADED."

ALL ENDS HAPPILY,BECAUSE THE FENWICKIANS EVENTUALLY DISCOVER THEIR Q-BOMB IS A DUD.

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LONDON, MAY 23 (AP)-GLOBE-TROTTING WORLD BANK PRESIDENT EUGENE BLACK WAS HAILED IN THE LONDON TIMES TODAY AS "ONE OF THE PHENOMENA OF THE POSTWAR WORLD."

HE WAS RANKED BY THE TIMES ALONGSIDE U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL DAG HAMMARSKJOLD AS THE MOST OUTSTANDING MEMBERS OF A NEW RACE OF "INTERNATIONAL SERVANTS."

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"NOT THE LEAST OF MR. BLACK'S ACCOMPLISHMENTS IS THAT HE COMBINES BEING AN IDEALIST WITH REMINDING PEOPLE THAT WHAT HE IS RUNNING IS A BANK," SAID THE INFLUENTIAL BRITISH NEWSPAPER.

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BERLIN, MAY 23 (AP)-EAST GERMANY DISCLOSED TODAY IT IS TRYING FIVE EAST GERMANS ON CHARGES OF SPYING FOR FRANCE.

THE OFFICIAL PARTY NEWSPAPER, OSTSEE ZEITUNG, SAID THE FIVE HAD SUPPLIED THE FRENCH WITH INFORMATION ABOUT SOVIET AND EAST GERMAN TROOPS, THE EAST GERMAN NAVY AND EAST GERMAN SEAPORTS.

ONE OF THE MEN, IDENTIFIED AS ALFRED SPUDIG, IS ACCUSED OF TRYING TO BLOW UP A DRY DOCK IN ROSTOCK. THE PAPER SAID THE PROSECUTOR IS DEMANDING LIFE IMPRISONMENT FOR SPUDIG AND LESSER SENTENCES FOR THE OTHERS.

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BONN, GERMANY, MAY 23 (AP)-WEST GERMANY OBSERVED TODAY THE 10TH ANNIVERSARY OF ITS DEMOCRATIC CONSTITUTION. HOPE WAS EXPRESSED THAT IT WILL NOT BE TOO LONG BEFORE THE CONSTITUTION IS REPLACED.

AT A CEREMONY IN THE PARLIAMENT BUILDING CHANCELLOR KONRAD ADENAUER SAID:

"ALL OF US WILL NEVER GIVE UP THE HOPE AND CONFIDENCE THAT THE CONSTITUTION WILL ONE DAY BE REPLACED BY ONE DRAWN UP BY A NATIONAL ASSEMBLY FOR A GERMANY REUNITED IN PEACE AND FREEDOM."

WHEN THE U.S.S.R. REFUSED TO UNITE GERMANY, THE WESTERN POWERS SET UP A PARLIAMENTARY COUNCIL IN BONN TO DRAW UP A CONSTITUTION FOR A WEST GERMAN REPUBLIC CONSISTING OF THE WESTERN OCCUPATION ZONES A ONE.

THAT WORK WAS COMPLETED MAY 23, 1949, AND THE FIRST FEDERAL ELECTION FOLLOWED THAT FALL.

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A102 (110)

HEIDELBERG, GERMANY, MAY 23 (AP)-AMERICAN SOLDIERS WILL NO LONGER BE ABLE TO GET BEER WITH THEIR LUNCH AT MILITARY CLUBS. THEY CAN PLAY SLOT MACHINES INSTEAD.

A ORDER SIGNED BY LT. GEN. CLYDE DAVIS EDDLEMAN, NEW U.S. COMMANDER IN EUROPE, FORBIDS THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN ARMY CLUBS BETWEEN REVEILLE AND RETREAT--6 OR 7 A.M. TO 5 P.M. THE BAN GOES OFF AT NOON SATURDAYS AND DURING SOME FUNCTIONS.

ANOTHER ANNOUNCEMENT SAID SLOT MACHINES WILL BE PERMITTED IN ARMY CLUBS. THE AIR FORCE HAS ALLOWED THEM SINCE 1954, BUT AT THAT TIME THE ARMY SAID IT WAS STUDYING THE MATTER.

PERMISSION FOR SERVING ALCOHOLIC DRINKS IN AIR FORCE CLUBS IS LEFT TO THE INDIVIDUAL COMMANDERS.

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A112 (160)

VATICAN CITY, MAY 23 (AP)-L'OSSERVATORE ROMANO SAID TODAY ROMAN CATHOLICS IN CHINA FACE THE CHOICE OF SCHISM OR THE CATACOMBS.

THE VATICAN NEWSPAPER CITED TESTIMONY OF REFUGEES AND OF LETTERS TO INDICATE THE EXTREMELY SERIOUS SITUATION WHICH IT SAID CATHOLICS NOW FACE IN COMMUNIST CHINA.

IT QUOTED ONE REFUGEE AS SAYING THAT IN RED CHINA THERE NO LONGER IS DISTINCTION, AS IN YEARS PAST, BETWEEN "THE POLITICAL VATICAN" AND THE "RELIGIOUS VATICAN."

ROMAN CATHOLICS IN CHINA, THE REFUGEE WAS QUOTED AS SAYING, "ARE SIMPLY ASKED TO BREAK FROM ROME AND TO ACCUSE THE POPE AND THE HOLY SEE."

A LETTER RECEIVED FROM A CATHOLIC CHINESE SAID, "DO NOT CONCERN YOURSELVES ABOUT OUR BODIES, BUT PRAY FOR OUR SOULS. WE ARE ON THE BANK OF A BABYLONIAN RIVER . . . WE ARE READY TO SUFFER FOR THE GREAT FAMILY OF THE CHURCH. LET THE WHITE FATHER (THE POPE) KNOW WHAT WE LOVE HIM AND ARE CONSTANTLY CLOSE TO HIM IN THOUGHT."

THUS THE CHOICE FOR ROMAN CATHOLICS IN COMMUNIST CHINA, SAID THE VATICAN NEWSPAPER, NOW IS THAT OF SCHISM OR OF HIDING IN CATACOMBS. DURING THE ROMAN PERSECUTIONS, EARLY CHRISTIANS FOUND REFUGE IN UNDERGROUND TOMBS, OR CATACOMBS.

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BUDAPEST, HUNGARY, MAY 23 (AP)-A PARTY OF TOURISTS FROM THE UNITED STATES MOVED ON TO BERLIN TODAY AFTER ADVISING MORE AMERICANS TO COME AND HAVE A LOOK AT THE COMMUNIST BLOC.

"THINGS ARE NOT NEARLY SO BAD HERE AS I EXPECTED THEM TO BE," COMMENTED BANKER FRANK SMATHERS, BROTHER OF SEN. GEORGE SMATHERS (D-FLA).

INDUSTRY IN THE SOVIET UNION AND HUNGARY IS STILL 20 YEARS OR MORE BEHIND THE UNITED STATES, SAID GEORGE BRUMLICK, PRESIDENT OF AMERICAN RUBBER CO. "BUT THEY ARE COMING ALONG FAST," HE ADDED.

BRUMLICK IS ONE OF 27 CORPORATION PRESIDENTS IN THE PARTY OF SOME 40 FLORIDA MEN WHO CAME HERE FROM THE SOVIET UNION THREE DAYS AGO. THE GROUP SPLIT HERE, WITH THE MAJORITY GOING ON TO BERLIN WHILE OTHERS TRAVELED TO PRAGUE AND WARSAW OR ITALY.

WHILE IN MOSCOW THE GROUP HAD A TWO-HOUR TALK WITH SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV.

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STOCKHOLM, MAY 23 (AP)-SWEDEN'S MOST ROMANTIC ROYAL RESIDENCE WAS SELECTED TODAY AS THE PLACE SOVIET PREMIER KHRUSHCHEV WILL STAY DURING HIS FIVE-DAY VISIT THIS SUMMER.

THE REASON FOR CHOOSING THE SUMMER PALACE OF HAGA IS THAT ITS LARGE GREEN LAWNS, WIDE DRIVES AND WELL SEPARATED OAKS MAKE IT EASY TO GUARD.

THE CHOICE WAS MADE BY THE SPECIAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE ARRANGING FOR THE VISIT, AND SWEDISH SECURITY POLICE ARE BELIEVED TO HAVE INFLUENCED ITS DECISION.

SWEDES ARE FAMILIAR WITH THE PALACE OVERLOOKING THE BALTIC THROUGH THE LYRIC SONGS OF THE 18TH CENTURY POET CARL MICHAEL BELLMAN. THE WHITE, TWO-STORY PALACE ON STOCKHOLM'S NORTHERN OUTSKIRTS WAS THE HOME OF THE LATE CROWN PRINCE GUSTAV ADOLF'S FAMILY FOR MANY YEARS. IT WAS ALSO THE FAVORITE HOME OF KING GUSTAF III, ASSASSINATED IN 1792 AT A BALL AT THE GRAND OPERA.

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MOSCOW, MAY 23 (AP)-BRITISH SOURCES SAID TONIGHT A BRITISH BOARD OF TRADE DELEGATION AND THE SOVIET MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE HAVE REACHED AGREEMENT ON THE BROAD FRAMEWORK FOR EXPANDING TRADE BETWEEN THE TWO COUNTRIES.

NO DETAILS WERE DISCLOSED. THE BRITISH DELEGATION HAS BEEN HERE FOR 10 DAYS.

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LONDON, MAY 23 (AP)-SIR DAVID ECCLES, PRESIDENT OF BRITAIN'S BOARD OF TRADE, CALLED ON SOVIET PREMIER NIKITA KHRUSHCHEV TODAY, MOSCOW RADIO REPORTED. THE BROADCAST SAID ECCLES, WHO IS LEADING A BRITISH DELEGATION THAT IS EXPLORING POSSIBILITIES OF EXPANDING BRITISH-SOVIET TRADE, HAD A FRIENDLY CONVERSATION WITH KHRUSHCHEV.

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MOSCOW, MAY 23 (AP)-KROKODIL, SOVIET SATIRICAL WEEKLY, HIT THE STANDS TODAY WITH A COLOR-PHOTOGRAPH COVER FULL OF ADVERTISEMENTS IN ENGLISH--FOR CANDY, CANNED SOUP, CHEWING GUM, CATSUP, CIGARETTES, SOFT DRINKS, REFRIGERATORS AND A 1959 AUTOMOBILE.

IN THE FOREGROUND STOOD A DRAB-LOOKING MAN WITH A PLACARD READING "FIVE MILLION UNEMPLOYED." BESIDE HIM, ANOTHER MAN IN A DINNER

JACKET PROTESTED, "YOU'VE SPOILING ALL THESE ADVERTISEMENTS BY YOUR APPEARANCE."

THUS THE SOVIET PRESS CONTINUED TO GIVE THE HOME FOLKS ITS PICTURE OF THE DEPRESSION IT IS REPORTING IN THE UNITED STATES.

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CAIRO, MAY 23 (AP)-THE MORNING PAPER AL AHRAM SAID TODAY THAT THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC WILL CONTINUE TO CONFISCATE ISRAELI GOODS SHIPPED THROUGH THE SUEZ CANAL -- IRRESPECTIVE OF THE FLAG THE VESSEL MAY CARRY.

THE ARABS REGARD THEMSELVES AS STILL TECHNICALLY AT WAR WITH ISRAEL.

AL AHRAM SAID ISRAELI ATTEMPTS TO TRANSPORT GOODS THROUGH THE CANAL, ON THE GROUNDS THAT THE GOODS WERE BEING EXPORTED TO NATIONALS OF AFRO-ASIAN COUNTRIES, WAS AIMED AT EMBARRASSING THE U.A.R. THE PAPER ADDED U.A.R. POLICY HAD BEEN EXPLAINED TO U.N. ASSISTANT SECRETARY RALPH BUNCHE WHEN HE WAS IN CAIRO AND TO U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL DAG HAMMARSKJOLD IN GENEVA BY U.A.R. FOREIGN MINISTER MAHMOUD FAWZI.

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AMMAN, JORDAN, MAY 23 (AP)-MAJ. GEN. SADEK SHARAA, DEPUTY COMMANDER OF JORDAN'S ARMED FORCES, HAS BEEN DETAINED ON A CHARGE OF PLOTTING AGAINST THE SAFETY OF THE STATE, AN OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT SAID TODAY.

SHARAA WAS A MEMBER OF KING HUSSEIN'S ENTOURAGE DURING HUSSEIN'S RECENT TRIP TO NATIONALIST CHINA, THE UNITED STATES AND BRITAIN, AND RETURNED TO JORDAN MAY 2.

THE ANNOUNCEMENT SAID: "THE GOVERNMENT HAS SET UP AN INVESTIGATION COMMITTEE HEADED BY THE CHIEF OF POLICE, MAJ. GEN. ABHJAT TABARRAH, TO INVESTIGATE THE CHARGE AGAINST SHARAA. FOR THE SAFETY OF THE INVESTIGATION, THE COMMITTEE DECIDED TO DETAIN SHARAA PEENDING THE INQUIRY, WHICH IS STILL CONTINUING."

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TEHRAN, IRAN, MAY 23 (AP)-PREMIER MENUCHEHR EGHBAL AND THREE CABINET MINISTERS WENT TO WESTERN IRAN TODAY TO INVESTIGATE CONDITIONS OF KURDISH REFUGEES WHO RECENTLY FLED OVER THE BORDER FROM IRAQ.

UNOFFICIAL REPORTS SAY 5,000 TO 10,000 KURDS CAME TO IRAN AFTER FIGHTING BROKE OUT BETWEEN RIVAL KURDISH FACTIONS WHO ARE DIVIDED OVER THE IRAQI REGIME OF ABDEL KARIM KASSEM.

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DAMASCUS, SYRIA, MAY 23 (AP)-THE UNITED ARAB REPUBLIC'S 1ST ARMY BEGAN SPRING MANEUVERS IN THE SYRIAN REGION TODAY. AN ARMY STATEMENT SAID A FOUR-HOUR CURFEW WOULD BE IMPOSED ON CIVILIAN VEHICLES THREE NIGHTS NEXT WEEK OVER ROADS LINKING DAMASCUS WITH SYRIA'S FOUR FRONTIERS.

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TOKYO, MAY 23 (AP)-FOREIGN MINISTER AIICHIRO FUJIYAMA AND U.S. AMBASSADOR DOUGLAS MACARTHUR II CONFERRED TODAY ON REVISING THE U.S.-JAPANESE SECURITY TREATY AND ADMINISTRATIVE AGREEMENT.

THE MEETING--THE EIGHTH SINCE THE NEGOTIATIONS BEGAN LAST OCTOBER AT JAPAN'S REQUEST--REPORTEDLY WAS DEVOTED TO AMENDMENT OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE AGREEMENT.

NO DETAILS HAVE BEEN DISCLOSED.

THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT HOPES THE REVISED AGREEMENTS WILL BE APPROVED BY PARLIAMENT THIS FALL.

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THE NEGOTIATIONS WERE OPENED AFTER JAPAN EXPRESSED A DESIRE TO BE PUT ON MORE EQUAL FOOTING THAN IN THE PRESENT PACTS SIGNED IN 1951.

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(530) NIGHT LEAD NIKE-BOMARC

BY ELTON C. FAY

WASHINGTON, MAY 23 (AP)-THE ARMY'S BOLD AND INDEPENDENT ACTION IN PUBLICLY CRITICIZING A SENATE COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATION TO CUT THE NIKE-HERCULES MISSILE PROGRAM STIRRED UP A FLURRY IN THE PENTAGON TODAY.

ASST. SECRETARY OF DEFENSE MURRAY SNYDER TOLD REPORTERS THE ARMY'S STATEMENTS WERE MADE "WITHOUT CONSULTATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE." SNYDER IS ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC AFFAIRS.

IN REPLY TO QUESTIONS, SNYDER SAID HE HAD CONSULTED BY TELEPHONE WITH SECRETARY OF DEFENSE NEIL H. MCELROY IN GENEVA AND HAD TALKED PERSONALLY WITH THOMAS S. GATES JR. THE DEPUTY SECRETARY DESIGNATE, AND MAJ. GEN. HARRY STORKE, CHIEF OF ARMY INFORMATION. SNYDER SAID HE ALSO WOULD TALK WITH SECRETARY OF THE ARMY WILBER M. BRUCKER.

ASKED WHAT ACTION HAD BEEN TAKEN AS THE RESULT OF THESE CONFERENCES, SNYDER REPLIED THAT NO DECISION HAD BEEN REACHED. BUT HE SAID THE MATTER IS NOT CLOSED.

AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID YESTERDAY THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE SENATE ARMED SERVICES COMMITTEE TO LOP OFF THREE QUARTERS OF THE $22,413,000 (M) SOUGHT IN THE DEFENSE BUDGET FOR EXPANDING THE NIKE HERCULES MISSILE SYSTEM "SERIOUSLY ENDANGERS THE FUTURE SECURITY OF OUR COUNTRY AGAINST AIR ATTACK."

AN ARMY SPOKESMAN SAID TODAY THE ARMY WAS MERELY DEFENDING A MILITARY BUDGET PREPARED BY THE PENTAGON AND APPROVED BY THE ADMINISTRATION.

THE SENATE COMMITTEE, IN ITS RECOMMENDATION, ALSO CALLED THE NIKE HERCULES A VIRTUALLY OBSOLETE WEAPON. THE OTHER ANTIAIRCRAFT DEFENSE MISSILE IS THE AIR FORCE'S BOMARC, A LONG RANGE WEAPON WHICH THE ARMY INSISTS WILL NOT BE IN EFFECTIVE NUMBERS FOR TWO YEARS, WHEREAS THE HERCULES IS GOING INTO THE AIR DEFENSE SYSTEM NOW.

ASIDE FROM THE ARGUMENT OVER THE RIVAL WEAPONS SYSTEMS, THE BIG ISSUE BY TONIGHT WAS THIS: WHAT, IF ANYTHING, WOULD THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT DO ABOUT WHAT IT CONSIDERS AN ARMY CHALLENGE TO ITS OVERALL CONTROL IN THE HANDLING OF PUBLIC INFORMATION?

THE SAME QUESTION HAS BEEN FOUGHT OVER BEFORE --BOUT MISSILES, CARRIERS, BIG BOMBERS.

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THE SAME QUESTION HAS BEEN FOUGHT OVER BEFORE --ABOUT MISSILES, CARRIERS, BIG BOMBERS.

THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT OPERATES UNDER AT LEAST AN ASSUMPTION THAT THE INDIVIDUAL SERVICES WILL SUBMIT TO IT IN ADVANCE OF ISSUANCE PROPOSED STATEMENTS ON CONTROVERSIAL SUBJECTS.

THERE HAVE BEEN SOME NOTABLE EXCEPTIONS, THE LATEST OF WHICH IS THE ARMY'S STOUT PUBLIC DEFENSE OF ITS OWN HERCULES AND SHARP CRITICISM OF THE AIR FORCE'S BOMARC.

MCELROY, WHO WILL HAVE TO ATTEMPT SETTLEMENT OF THIS NEW INTER-SERVICE ARGUMENT, MAY HAVE TRIGGERED IT OFF HIMSELF.

SEVERAL WEEKS AGO MEMBERS OF A SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE TOLD MCELROY THE PENTAGON HAD MADE NO CLEAR-CUT DECISION BETWEEN THE HERCULES AND BOMARC WEAPONS. MCELROY COMMENTED THAT "IT WOULD NOT BOTHER ME IF YOU HELD OUR FEET TO THE FIRE AND FORCED US."

THIS LEFT A WIDESPREAD IMPRESSION THAT MCELROY WAS SAYING THAT ONE OR THE OTHER WEAPON WOULD BE DECIDED UPON.

MCELROY THEN SOUGHT TO BACK AWAY FROM THAT INTERPRETATION. HE SENT SEN. DENNIS CHAVEZ (D-NM), CHAIRMAN OF THE DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE, A LETTER WHICH SAID IN EFFECT THAT:

THE BOMARC WITH ITS 400-MILE RANGE IS NEEDED TO REACH OUT AND INTERCEPT ENEMY BOMBERS BEFORE THEY CAN REACH THE BORDERS OF THE UNITED STATES; THE HERCULES WITH A RANGE UP TO 100 MILES IS NEEDED "FOR ADDITIONAL CLOSE-IN PROTECTION OF HIGH PRIORITY TARGETS."

THE PENTAGON SOUGHT TODAY TO DIRECT ATTENTION TO THAT ARGUMENT. IT SAID IN A STATEMENT:

"AS SECRETARY MCELROY HAS STATED ON A NUMBER OF OCCASIONS, THERE IS A PLACE FOR BOTH BOMARC AND NIKE HERCULES IN OUR CONTINENTAL DEFENSE PICTURE. THE MASTER PLAN FOR NUMBERS AND LOCATIONS FOR BOTH SYSTEMS IS BEING REVIEWED IN AN EXPEDITED MANNER BY THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF AND THE SECRETARY'S OWN STAFF AND WILL BE SUBMITTED TO THE CONGRESS BY THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE AS PROMPTLY AS POSSIBLE."

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V(300) KHRUSHCHEV

BY LEWIS GULICK

WASHINGTON, MAY 23 (AP)-NIKITA S. KHRUSHCHEV'S REASONS FOR GOING TO ALBANIA MONDAY ARE SOMETHING OF A MYSTERY TO WASHINGTON EXPERTS.

THE BOUNCY SOVIET PREMIER PLANS TO VISIT THE BALKAN SATELLITE COUNTRY FROM MAY 25 TO JUNE 6, ACCORDING TO MOSCOW'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

KHRUSHCHEV LIKES TO TRAVEL AND HAS NEVER BEEN TO ALBANIA BEFORE. THESE MOTIVES FOR HIS TRIP ARE UNDERSTANDABLE ENOUGH.

BUT THEY DON'T EXPLAIN WHY HE INTENDS TO SPEND TWO WEEKS IN A COMPARATIVELY ISOLATED COUNTRY THE SIZE OF MARYLAND WITH A POPULATION OF ONLY 1 1/2 MILLION.

FOR THE MOMENT, THE GUESSERS ARE HARD PUT TO COME UP WITH A LOGICAL EXPLANATION.

THE RUSSIAN CHIEF HAS JUST RETURNED FROM AN EXTENDED CRIMEAN VACATION SO IT WOULD NOT SEEM THAT HE NEEDS ANOTHER REST ALONG THE BLUE WATER OF THE ADRIATIC SEA.

HE WILL BE AWAY FROM MOSCOW ON MAY 27, THE DEADLINE OF THE ORIGINAL SOVIET ULTIMATIUM ON BERLIN. THAT MIGHT BE TAKEN AS MOVE TO DE-EMPHASIZE THE THREAT. YET THIS IS A LOT OF TRAVELING TO MAKE HIS POINT.

REPORTS REACHING WASHINGTON CARRY NO WORD OF DOMESTIC TROUBLE BREWING WITHIN ALBANIA SO SERIOUS AS TO REQUIRE SPECIAL FIRST HAND ATTENTION FROM THE HEAD OF THE SOVIET EMPIRE. ALBANIA HAS LONG BEEN A STABLE UNIT IN THE COMMUNIST BLOC.

IF KHRUSHCHEV IS THINKING OF APPROACHING YUGOSLAVIA'S MARSHAL TITO, NEIGHBORING ALBANIA WOULD HARDLY SEEM THE PLACE TO START FROM. YUGOSLAVIA AND ALBANIA HAVE BEEN AT ODDS SINCE TITO SPLIT WITH THE KREMLIN A DECADE AGO.

IT IS POSSIBLE KHRUSHCHEV WANTS TO DRAMATIZE MOSCOW'S INTEREST IN ALBANIA, THE ONLY SATELLITE COUNTRY NOT LAND CONNECTED WITH THE REST OF IRON CURTAIN EMPIRE.

HE MAY WISH TO SHOW PERSONAL BACKING IN ALBANIA'S CURRENT TIFF WITH ITALY. HE MAY WANT TO SHAKE HIS FIST AT ITALY AND AT ALBANIA'S BACK DOOR NEIGHBOR, GREECE. THE SOVIETS HAVE WARNED BOTH NATO COUNTRIES AGAINST ACCEPTING AMERICAN ROCKETS.

EVEN SO, IT SEEMS IN WASHINGTON THAT KHRUSHCHEV COULD GET SUCH TASKS OUT OF THE WAY FROM MOSCOW OR WITH A BRIEF STOPOVER IN ALBANIA INSTEAD OF A TWO WEEKS JUNKET.

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(280) ADVANCE FOR 5:30 P. M. EST TODAY

WORLD HEALTH

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 23 (AP)-SEN. HUBERT H. HUMPHREY (D-MINN) SAID TODAY NO GENERAL EAST-WEST SETTLEMENT NOW CAN BE EXPECTED BUT THAT COOPERATION IN SUCH MATTERS AS HEALTH MAY EASE WORLD TENSIONS.

IN A REPORT ON A EUROPEAN TRIP HE MADE LAST YEAR, HUMPHREY SAID, HOWEVER THAT THE UNITED STATES APPEARS TO BE "UNDERALLOCATING OUR RESOURCES TO WORLD HEALTH."

HUMPHREY VISITED A NUMBER OF COUNTRIES INCLUDING RUSSIA LAST FALL ON A STUDY OF WORLD HEALTH PROBLEMS. THE REPORT HE MADE PUBLIC TODAY IS ONE OF A SERIES TO THE GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS COMMITTEE ON HIS FINDINGS. MUCH OF IT WAS DEVOTED TO THE WORK AND RESOURCES OF THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION (CAPS WHO).

HUMPHREY SAID THAT PERHAPS HIS MOST IMPORTANT CONCLUSION WAS THAT "WHO'S VALUE AS A MEANS OF ADVANCING WORLD PEACE SHOULD NOT BE UNDERESTIMATED."

"COOPERATION IN THE HEALING ARTS CAN HEAL MORE THAN THE RAVAGES OF DISEASE," HE SAID. "IT CAN HELP, AND HAS HELPED, IF ONLY PARTIALLY, HEAL THE TENSIONS, THE MISUNDERSTANDINGS, THE ANXIETIES OF A WORLD DIVIDED BY IDEOLOGY AND TO A LESSER EXTENT BY NATIONALITY, CULTURE, AND OTHER FACTORS." HE ADDED:

"FOR THE FORSEEABLE FUTURE, THE REALISTIC APPROACH TO RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES, THE U. S. S. R., AND NATIONS ASSOCIATED WITH OR NEUTRAL TOWARD THESE TWO GREAT POWERS IS THROUGH SEEKING A SERIES OF LIMITED AREAS OF ACCORD.

"A TOTAL GENERAL SETTLEMENT OF ALL DIFFERENCES CANNOT BE ANTICIPATED. COOPERATION IN LIMITED MATTERS, IN HEALTH, FOR EXAMPLE, AND PARTICULARLY IN MEDICAL RESEARCH, IS TANGIBLE, SPECIFIC AND PRODUCTIVE. IT WORKS. IT HAS WORKED."

THE SENATOR DID NOT SPECIFICALLY RECOMMEND AN INCREASE IN THE ANNUAL U. S. CONTRIBUTION TO THE WORLD HEALTH AGENCY. BUT HE SAID THAT LOOKING AT THE U. S. BUDGET AND FOREIGN AID PROGRAM, IT WAS OBVIOUS "WE ARE HARDLY OVERCOMMITTING OURSELVES TO WHO."

THE AMERICAN CONTRIBUTION IN 1958 WAS $4,700,000, ABOUT ONE-THIRD OF WHO'S $13,500,000 BUDGET, HE SAID.

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ADVANCE FOR 5:30 P. M. EST TODAY

(330) COMINTERN

BY JOE F. KANE

(ADVANCE) WASHINGTON, MAY 23 (AP)-THE COMMUNIST INTERNATIONAL COMINTERN HAS BEEN REVIVED UNDER A NEW NAME, A SENATE GROUP REPORTED TODAY.

ANOTHER WARNING ON THE COMMUNIST THREAT CAME FROM FBI DIRECTOR J. EDGAR HOOVER. HE SAID U. S. COMMUNISTS HAVE RENEWED THEIR DRIVE TO FORM A NEW YOUTH GROUP AND INFILTRATE BASIC AMERICAN INDUSTRIES.

SEN. JAMES O. EASTLAND (D-MISS), CHAIRMAN OF THE SENATE INTERNAL SECURITY SUBCOMMITTEE, RELEASED A DOCUMENTED STAFF STUDY OF HIS GROUP SAYING THE COMINTERN HAS BEEN REVITALIZED AS THE "CONFERENCE OF COMMUNIST AND WORKERS' PARTIES." HE SAID:

"REVIVAL OF THE COMINTERN UNDER THIS NEW NAME MEANS THAT THE SOVIET COMMUNISTS ARE ONCE AGAIN TIGHTENING THE CONTROL THEY HAVE ALWAYS HELD OF COMMUNIST PARTIES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD, INCLUDING THE COMMUNIST PARTY, U. S. A. ELABORATE ATTEMPTS HAVE BEEN MADE TO HIDE THIS CENTRAL DOMINATION BY THE KREMLIN, PARTICULARLY IN RECENT YEARS. BUT BY THEIR OWN RECENT STATEMENTS, SOVIET LEADERS INADVERTENTLY HAVE PUT US ON NOTICE OF THE RESURGENCE OF THE COMINTERN.

"THE STAGE MANAGER OF THIS OPERATION IS OTTO V. KUUSINEN, AN OLD LINE SOVIET LEADER WITH A LONG RECORD OF ACTIVITY IN INTERNATIONAL COMMUNIST ORGANIZATION, INCLUDING AUTHORSHIP OF MANY DIRECTIVES TO THE COMMUNIST PARTY, U. S. A."

KUUSINEN IS A FORMER SECRETARY OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE

COMMUNIST INTERNATIONAL.
THE STUDY SAYS THE COMMUNIST INTERNATIONAL SUPPOSEDLY WAS DISSOLVED JUNE 10, 1943, BUT CONTINUED TO FUNCTION UNDER COVER. IT CAME OUT INTO THE OPEN AFTER WORLD WAR II AS THE COMINFORM, OR "INFORMATION BUREAU OF COMMUNIST AND WORKERS' PARTIES." THE REPORT SAID ITS ACTIVITIES WERE CENTERED IN SEVERAL OF THE SATELLITE NATIONS TO OFFSET THE CHARGE THAT IT WAS MOSCOW-INSPIRED. THE ORGANIZATION WAS FORMALLY DISSOLVED IN APRIL 1956.
HOOVER MADE HIS COMMENTS ON COMMUNISM TO SEN. GEORGE SMATHERS (D-FLA) DURING AN INTERVIEW RECORDED FOR FLORIDA RADIO AND TELEVISION STATIONS.
THE COMMUNISTS HAVE RENEWED THEIR DRIVE FOR MEMBERSHIP, HOOVER SAID, AND ARE "TRYING TO INFILTRATE INTO LABOR ORGANIZATIONS AND OTHER AREAS WHERE THEIR INFLUENCE CAN BE FELT."
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(200) WASHINGTON, MAY 23 (AP)-A RADIATION SPECIALIST SAID TODAY PEOPLE SHOULD BE CONCERNED ABOUT NUCLEAR BOMB FALLOUT BUT NOT "TO THE POINT OF BECOMING NEUROTIC ABOUT IT"-- AT LEAST FOR THE PRESENT.
LAURISTON TAYLOR, CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL COMMITTEE ON RADIATION PROTECTION, SAID HE WOULD LIKE TO SEE THE CAUSES OF FALLOUT REMOVED BUT THAT AS THINGS STAND "IT'S WITH US AND WE HAVE TO DO THE BEST WE CAN ABOUT IT."
TAYLOR, CHIEF OF THE ATOMIC AND RADIATION PHYSICS DIVISION OF THE NATIONAL BUREAU OF STANDARDS, WAS INTERVIEWED ON A LOCAL TELEVISION PROGRAM (WTOP-TV).
HE SAID HE AGREED WITH THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION THAT THE FALLOUT HAZARD AT PRESENT IS SLIGHT. HE SAID THE PRESENT RADIATION FROM FALLOUT AMOUNTS ON THE AVERAGE TO ONLY 2 OR 3 PER CENT OF THE AMOUNT THAT PEOPLE GET FROM ALL SOURCES INCLUDING MEDICAL X-RAYS AND FROM NATURAL SOURCES.
BUT HE ALSO SAID THAT "FALLOUT IS SOMETHING WE WOULDN'T WANT TO LIVE WITH IF WE HAD ANY CHOICE IN THE MATTER," AND HE ADDED:
"I NEVER SAID WE SHOULD NOT WORRY ABOUT IT. I THINK WE SHOULD BE WORRIED TO SOME EXTENT. I THINK WE SHOULD BE CONCERNED. BUT I DON'T THINK IT HAS YET APPROACHED THE POINT OF WORRYING TO THE POINT OF BECOMING NEUROTIC ABOUT IT."
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NEW YORK, MAY 23 (AP)-A HUGE CIVIL AIR FLEET COULD BE MUSTERED INTO MILITARY SERVICE WITHIN 48 HOURS IN A NATIONAL EMERGENCY, MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM S. STONE SAID TODAY.
HE SAID IT WOULD BE MADE UP OF MORE THAN 300 FOUR-ENGINE COMMERCIAL AIRCRAFT NOW OPERATED BY 29 AMERICAN AIR LINES, AND WOULD HAVE A CARRYING CAPACITY THREE TIMES THAT OF THE AIR FLEET USED IN THE BERLIN AIRLIFT.
STONE IS COMMANDER OF THE EASTERN TRANSPORT AIR FORCE OF THE MILITARY AIR TRANSPORT SERVICE, WITH HEADQUARTERS AT MACGUIRE AIR FORCE BASE IN NEW JERSEY.
HE SPOKE AT CEREMONIES IN WHICH IDLEWILD AIRPORT WAS DEDICATED AS THE FIRST BASE OF THE CIVIL RESERVE AIR FLEET IN THE NATION. EIGHTEEN OTHER AIR TERMINALS AROUND THE NATION WILL BE SIMILARLY DESIGNATED.
IN EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY, STONE SAID, THE COMMERCIAL AIRCRAFT QUICKLY COULD BE PUT IN MILITARY SERVICE TO FLY TROOPS AND SUPPLIES ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD.
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NEW YORK, MAY 23 (AP)-DETAILS OF AN UNSUCCESSFUL ATTEMPT BY PRESIDENT HARRY S. TRUMAN IN 1948 TO ENLIST THE COOPERATION OF THE WORLD'S RELIGIOUS FORCES IN THE BATTLE AGAINST COMMUNISM WERE REVEALED YESTERDAY.
THE PLAN INVOLVED SENDING MYRON C. TAYLOR, SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE OF PRESIDENTS TRUMAN AND FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT TO THE VATICAN FROM 1939 TO)1950, TO EUROPE IN AN EFFORT TO UNITE CHRISTIAN LEADERS AGAINST COMMUNISM.
THE MISSION WAS UNSUCCESSFUL, ACCORDING TO AN ARTICLE I THE MAY 30 ISSUE OF AMERICA, THE NATIONAL CATHOLIC WEEKLY. THE ARTICLE WAS WRITTEN BY ROBERT PELL, WHO ACCOMPANIED AND ASSISTED TAYLOR.
BEFORE SENDING TAYLOR ON THE TRIP, THE ARTICLE SAID, TRUMAN DISCUSSED HIS PLAN FOR RELIGIOUS COOPERATION AGAINST COMMUNISM WITH POPE PIUS XII. BISHOP G. BROMLEY OXNAM OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, DR. SAMUEL MCCREA CAVERT, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE FEDERAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES OF CHRIST IN AMERICA AND JEWISH AND MOSLEM RELIGIOUS LEADERS.
BUT TAYLOR, THE ARTICLE SAID, WAS RECEIVED WITH MIXED APPROVAL, AND THE PLAN WAS DROPPED.
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NEW YORK, MAY 23 (AP)-HISASHI IMAI, JAPANESE VICE MINISTER OF DEFENSE, WITH A DELEGATION FROM THE JAPANESE DEFENSE BUREAU, ARRIVED AT LA GUARDIA FIELD TODAY FOR A WEEKEND OF SIGHTSEEING.
THE GROUP IS ON A TWO-WEEK TOUR OF UNITED STATES MILITARY INSTALLATIONS.
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(ADVANCE FOR USE AT 7 P.M., EASTERN STANDARD TIME, TODAY)
(ADVANCE) HONESDALE, PA., MAY 23 (AP)-GEN. LYMAN LEMNITZER ASSERTED TONIGHT THAT EDUCATION MUST DO A BETTER JOB IN THE FREE WORLD'S COMPETITION WITH COMMUNISM.
"WE ARE INVOLVED IN BITTER COMPETITION WITH COMMUNISM IN THE POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND MILITARY FIELDS," HE SAID, "BUT IT MUST BE RECOGNIZED THAT WE ARE INVOLVED WITH COMMUNISM IN THE FIELD OF EDUCATION AS WELL, AND THIS IS EQUALLY STRENUOUS AND EQUALLY VITAL."
GEN. LEMNITZER, WHO WILL BECOME CHIEF OF ~~THE JOINT~~ STAFFS ON JULY 1, SPOKE AT THE DEDICATION OF HONESDALE'S $2,290,000 HIGH SCHOOL. THE GENERAL WAS BORN IN THIS NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA TOWN AND HE MAINTAINS A HOME HERE.
HE TOLD HIS AUDIENCE THAT PEOPLE IN FAR EASTERN COUNTIRES KNOWN TO HIM ARE INTENT UPON CONSTANTLY IMPROVING EDUCATION.
"SUCH AN ATMOSPHERE," HE SAID, "IS IN SHARP CONTRAST TO THE COMPLACENCY WHICH CAN SOMETIMES BE NOTED IN OUR OWN COUNTRY.
"THE INESCAPABLE FACT IS THAT WE CAN NO LONGER AFFORD THE COMFORTABLE LUXURY OF ASSUMING THAT WE CAN REST ON OUR PAST LAURELS, OR THAT OUR CONTINUED ADVANCE IN THE SCIENCES AND THE ARTS CAN BE EXPECTED TO OCCUR AUTOMATICALLY.
"WE HAVE NO MONOPOLY ON BRAINS.
"PROGRESS REQUIRES INTELLIGENCE, OF COURSE. BUT IT REQUIRES ALSO THAT WE APPLY OUR INTELLIGENCE ENERGETICALLY AND EFFICIENTLY."
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FIRST LEAD SYMINGTON

MILWAUKEE, MAY 23-(AP)-SEN. STUART SYMINGTON (D-MO) SAID TONIGHT THE UNITED STATES IS LOSING THE PSYCHOLOGICAL WAR WITH RUSSIA BECAUSE OF FAILURES OF THE EISENHOWER ADMINISTRATION.

"THE RUSSIANS ARE WORKING UNCEASINGLY TO OVERTHROW PARLIMANETNARY GOVERNMENT ALL OVER THE WORLD. THEY HAVE A PLANNED PROGRAM AND ARE DETERMINED TO WIN," SAID SYMINGTON, A POSSIBLE CANDIDATE FOR THE DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION NEXT YEAR.

THE SENATOR MADE HIS COMMENTS TO 1,400 PERSONS ATTENDING A JEFFERSON-JACKSON DAY DINNER. DURING A BROADCAST PORTION OF HIS SPEECH, HE ATTACKED THE DOMESTIC POLICIES OF THE ADMINISTRATION.

AFTER COMPLETING HIS TEXT, ~~HE SUMMOND NEW FORCE AS HE~~ SPOKE OF THE PSYCHOLOGICAL CONFLICT WITH RUSSIA. → the senator

"THE AMERICAN PEOPLE ARE GETTING SICK AND TIRED OF THINKING ABOUT WHAT MR. KHRUSCHEV THINKS -- FEELING GOOD OR BAD EACH DAY, DEPENDING UPON WHAT HE SAYS. I AM SICK OF IT," SAID SYMINGTON.

"I WANT THE PEOPLE TO THINK ABOUT WHAT WE'RE THINKING, ABOUT WHT WE'RE DOING. I WANT OUR POLICIES TO ESTABLISH EVENTS, NOT EVENTS OUR POLICIES."

"WHERE THE ADMINISTRATION IS MOST AT FAULT IN ITS OBLIGATIONS TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE IS IN NOT GIVING US THE FACTS ABOUT THE CURRENT DANGER," HE SAID.

"BUT WE CAN WIN THIS WAR IF WE GO OUT AND FIGHT FOR THE FREE AMERICAN LIFE -- NOT WITH GUNS AND BULLETS BUT WITH IDEALS," SAYMINGTON SAID.

THE AUDIENCE GAVE SYMINGTON AN OVATION.

SYMINGTON SAID IN HIS PREPARED TALK, THE REPUBLICANS ARE TRYING TO "BLUFF THEIR WAY INTO OFFICE BY CREATING NATIONAL HYSTERIA ABOUT INFLATION AND SPENDING."

HE SAID PRESIDENT EISENHOWER "HAS USED THE VETO, AND THE THREAT OF THE VETO TO DILUTE OR DROWN NEARLY EVERY PIECE OF SOCIAL LEGISLATION PASSED BY CONGRESS IN RECENT YEARS.

SYMINGTON APPLAUDED WISCONSIN DEMOCRATS FOR RECENT VICTORIES IN THIS FORMER REPUBLICAN STRONGHOLD AND HE PROMISED A BETTER FEDERAL FARM PROGRAM FOR DAIRY PRODUCERS, ONE OF THE MAJOR INDUSTRIES OF THIS STATE.

THE SENATOR, WHO IS LISTED AMONG THE DEMOCRATIC PRESIDENTIAL POSSIBILITIES FOR NEXT YEAR, GAVE PARTY WORKERS HERE A CHANCE TO KNOW HIM AND HIS POLICIES.

"REPUBLICANS LOOK AT A PERSON FIRST AS A TAXPAYER," HE SAID. "WE DEMOCRATS LOOK AT HIM FIRST AS A HUMAN BEING.

"WE ARE CONCERNED WITH HIS WELFARE, HIS HEALTH, AND HIS HAPPINESS, AS WELL AS WITH HIS DOLLAR."

SYMINGTON SAID "THE SUREST WAY TO MANAGE FOR A DEFICIT IS FOR THIS COUNTRY TO DRIFT INTO ANOTHER DEPRESSION."

HE CONTENDED THAT THE REPUBLICAN ADMINISTRATION HAD "REDUCED THE RELATIVE STRENGTH OF OUR COUNTRY POLITICALLY AND ECONOMICALLY, AS WELL AS IN THE DEFENSE FIELD."

SAYING NO ONE WANTS INFLATION OR WASTE, HE ADDED:

"UNDER THESE REPUBLICANS, WE NOW HAVE A MOUNTAIN OF WASTE IN GOVERNMENT; AND FOR THAT WASTE WE PAY MANY BILLIONS OF DOLLARS ANNUALLY IN UNNECESSARY TAXES."

AN EXAMPLE OF THIS, HE SAID IS THE NINE BILLION DOLLARS WORTH OF FARM STOCK NOW IN GOVERNMENT HANDS AS "A MONUMENT TO POOR ADMINISTRATION POLICIES AND PROGRAMS."

IN THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT, SYMINGTON SAID, "BILLIONS OF DOLLARS ARE WASTED EACH YEAR IN THE EFFORT TO PREPARE FOR THE KIND OF WAR WHICH WOULD NEVER BE WAGED IN THIS NUCLEAR-SPACE AGE."

"BUT THE GREATEST WASTE OF ALL IS THE WASTE NOW GOING ON AND INCIDENT TO THE CREATIVE RESOURCES OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE," HE ADDED.

SYMINGTON SAID ABOUT 20 PER CENT OF THE NATION'S INDUSTRIAL PLANT LIES IDLE; THOUSANDS OF CHILDREN LACK ADEQUATE SCHOOLS AND TEACHERS, AND "MILLIONS OF PEOPLE HAVE THEIR USEFUL LIVES CUT SHORT BY DISEASES WHICH COULD BE CURED IF WE MADE ADDITIONAL EFFORT."

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